

NONPROVISIONAL PATENT  
APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL RULE §1.53(b)  
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Date: June 29, 2001

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Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing under 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b) is a nonprovisional patent application:

For (Title): CONSTRUCTION OF A STRUCTURAL VARIANT OF SUBLANCIN TO  
FACILITATE ITS ISOLATION AND USE IN BIOREMEDIATION OF  
ENVIRONMENTAL CONTAMINATION BY GRAM-POSITIVE SPORE  
FORMERS SUCH AS *BACILLUS ANTHRAXIS*

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- ☒ 22 pages of Specification/Claims 1-23/Abstract are attached.  
☒ Formal drawings (Fig(s). 1-6; 6 sheet(s)) is/are attached.  
☒ A Declaration and Power of Attorney is attached.  
☒ An assignment of the invention to University of Maryland, College Park is attached, along with Form PTO-1595 and a check for \$40.00.  
☒ An Information Disclosure Statement is attached, along with Form PTO-1449, and 9 reference(s).  
☒ Please amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence --This nonprovisional application claims the benefit of U.S. Provisional Application No. 60/215,449, filed June 29, 2000. --  
☒ Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission is attached.  
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☒ Statement verifying identity of above copies

The filing fee is calculated below and includes claim status after entry of any Preliminary Amendment noted above:

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STATEMENT UNDER 37 CFR §1.821(C)

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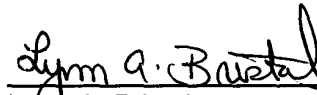
Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R.1.821(C), applicants are submitting herewith the Sequence Listing for the above-identified application both in paper copy form and in computer readable form.

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In the event that this paper is not considered to be timely filed, applicants hereby petition for an appropriate extension of time. The fee for any such extension may be charged to our Deposit Account No. 01-2300, along with any other fees with respect to this paper.

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